

Rubric "Cooperative Group Work Rubrics"

Assessment of Student Products

Pick 4 Unscored

Rubric A: Process

Group Participation

Exceptional

All students enthusiastically participate

Admirable

At least 3/4 of students actively participate

Acceptable

At least half the students confer or present ideas

Amateur

Only one or two persons actively participate

Shared Responsibility

Exceptional

Responsibility for task is shared evenly

Admirable

Responsibility is shared by most group members

Acceptable

Responsibility is shared by 1/2 the group members

Amateur

Exclusive reliance on one person

Quality of Interaction

Exceptional

Excellent listening and leadership skills exhibited; students reflect awareness of others' views and opinions in their discussions

Admirable

Students show adeptness in interacting; lively discussion centers on the task

Acceptable

Some ability to interact; attentive listening; some evidence of discussion or alternatives

Amateur

Little interaction; very brief conversations; some students were disinterested or distracted

Roles Within Group

Exceptional

Each student assigned a clearly defined role; group members perform roles effectively

Admirable

Each student assigned a role but roles not clearly defined or consistently adhered to

Acceptable

Students assigned roles but roles were not consistently adhered to

Amateur

No effort made to assign roles to group members

Comments:

Rubric B: Outcome or Product

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Organization

Exceptional

Extremely well organized; logical format that was easy to follow; flowed smoothly from one idea to another and cleverly conveyed; the organization enhanced the effectiveness of the project

Admirable

Presented in a thoughtful manner; there were signs of organization and most transitions were easy to follow, but at times ideas were unclear

Acceptable

Somewhat organized; ideas were not presented coherently and transitions were not always smooth, which at times distracted the audience

Amateur

Choppy and confusing; format was difficult to follow; transitions of ideas were abrupt and seriously distracted the audience

Content Accuracy

Exceptional

Completely accurate; all facts were precise and explicit

Admirable

Mostly accurate; a few inconsistencies or errors in information

Acceptable

Somewhat accurate; more than a few inconsistencies or errors in information

Amateur

Completely inaccurate; the facts in this project were misleading to the audience

Research

Exceptional

Went above and beyond to research information; solicited material in addition to what was provided; brought in personal ideas and information to enhance project; and utilized more than eight types of resources to make project effective

Admirable

Did a very good job of researching; utilized materials provided to their full potential; solicited more than six types of research to enhance project; at times took the initiative to find information outside of school

Acceptable

Used the material provided in an acceptable manner, but did not consult any additional resources

Amateur

Did not utilize resources effectively; did little or no fact gathering on the topic

Creativity

Exceptional

Was extremely clever and presented with originality; a unique approach that truly enhanced the project

Admirable

Was clever at times; thoughtfully and uniquely presented

Acceptable

Added a few original touches to enhance the project but did not incorporate it throughout

Amateur

Little creative energy used during this project; was bland, predictable, and lacked "zip"

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Presentation Mechanics

Exceptional

Was engaging, provocative, and captured the interest of the audience and maintained this throughout the entire presentation; great variety of visual aids and multimedia; visual aids were colorful and clear

Admirable

Was well done and interesting to the audience; was presented in a unique manner and was very well organized; some use of visual aids

Acceptable

Was at times interesting and was presented clearly and precisely; was clever at times and was organized in a logical manner; limited variety of visual aids and visual aids were not colorful or clear

Amateur

Was not organized effectively; was not easy to follow and did not keep the audience interested; no use of visual aids

Comments:

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